IN THE UNITED PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of Atty. Docket MAR 2 1 2000 KIRAN CHALLAPALI ET AL PHA 23,540 Serial No.09/196,574 Group Art Unit 2711 Filed: NOVEMBER 20, 199 EXTRACTION OF FOREGROUND INFORMATION FOR VIDEO CONFERENCING Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F Sir: Enclosed is a Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents lis These documents are considered to be relevant in the they have been: considered in drafting the specification of the abovereferenced application; cited in the specification of the above-referenced application; or cited as an "X" or "Y" document in a foreign Patent Office search report on a foreign counterpart application a copy of which report is also enclosed. I hereby certify that these documents were cited in X said search report not more than three (3) months Please charge any fee under 1.17(p) for this Information Disclosure Statement to be considered, not exceeding \$240.00, to Account No. 14-1270. If readily available, English-language counterparts have been substituted for foreign-language patent documents. This disclosure is not an admission that any of these documents is material to or even prior art with respect to the above-referenced application. Respect fully submitted, Daniel J. Piotrowski, Reg. 42,079 Attorney (914) 333-9624 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS Washington, D.C. 20231